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I'LL SAY THIS NOW
DON'T EXPECT ANY HELP
FROM ME

I'M A
GIRL
VOICE
ACTING
PART!

YES, I
KNOW



TO TALK
AND
MOAN
IF IT
WOULD
CHANGE
THINGS
...

YOU
SEEM
RATHER
CALM.



...BUT
ALL IT'D
DO IS
NOTHING
BUT
ENTERTAIN
THEM,
RIGHT?

I SEE
YOUR
POINT...

—YELL
PIPE DOWN
NOW!









A-ARE
YOU
SERIOUS
...??

WOL
GLOVES

SO
WOULD
HAPPEN
SOME
FUN
WITH
A
GIRL
AT
THIS
TENDER
AGE...

BLACK
HAIR
IS
SO
NICE...



WHAT
IS?

TAKE-
MYA-
ZUCH
...
YOU
HOPE-
LESS
BAS-
TARD.



I SHALL
BE THE
ONE TO
DELIVER A
MESSAGE
FOR
WINDY-
GRANT

FUTURE
OF THE
MILKY
WAY—
**FORTUNE
GALAXY!**

SUCH A
GOOD GIRL
FOLLOW-
ING A
HOPELESS
GOD.
THE
FALLEN
SAINT—
**LAST
HERO-
INE.**

NATURAL
BORN
ANGEL.
THAT'S
WHAT
YOU
ARE.

MR-WHAT
ARE YOU
TALKING
ABOUT?

GOT A
LOUDER
COMPLEX
OR SOME-
THING?

ADDRESSING
CHILDREN
DOESN'T
MATTER TO
ME, DOES IT?
FOLLOW ME
INTO YOUR
SCENERY. JUST
THE SAME...



DAMN
YOU ALL
...!!

WINDY
GRANT

IF
WOMEN
AREN'T
ENOUGH,
THEN
HOW
ABOUT
SOME-
THING
MORE
PHYSICAL
...!

**ENOUGH!
STOP
THIS
AT
ONCE!!**



**SWORD PRIN-
CESS —
KING!
IS BACK
AGAIN!!**

ALL-
HIS-
HIS?

THE
HORN-
TOWN
HERO, MY
HIS?

YAH,
NOW
THEN,
NEXT
UP
IS...

**I'LL END
Y'ALL.**

NO REAL
POINT IN
CHANGING
HER TITLE
NOW, IS
THERE?

AGREED

LEVEL
IS
ALREADY,
MY
WORD...

JUST
AS
CLUE
AS
EVER.

**OUR
APOLO-
GIES!!**

AGREED!

WELL, UNLESS
IT'S TO
ANNOUN-
CE OF THE
BORN —
OUR
LADY
THAT
IS.



"KAY, ARE IN GOOD AS IS."

A-HEM!

HEHEHE
LEARN TO PICK
YER
BATTLES,
WOULD
YE.



DAMN!
THAT'S
WHY I
CAN'T
STAND
THE
BIG
DAMN MAN!



...LAST
ONE.

...
ANY-
HOW
...



SO
THAT
CHILD
OF
YOURS
REALLY
DO
REACH
LEVEL
TWO...

DELL-
KUN...!

GO
FARROW!



HEY,
SHORTY.



WE
LEVELLED
UP IN A
MONTH
AND A
HALF...

...YA
EXPECTIN'
ME TO BELIEVE
THAT?

GOT A
QUESTION
FOR ME
BEFORE
WE GET
TO NANNI.



DOIN'
THAT
IN SIX
WEEKS?

WHAT
ARE 'IS
'TRYIN'
TO PULL?

EIGHT
YEARS
AGO...

...MY ME
NEEDED
A WHOLE
YEAR TO
REACH
LEVEL
TWO.





SO
SPELL
IT.

A CHILD
THESE
LEVELS
UP THAT
BLACK
SMPLY
DON'T
EXIST.

OUR
FALMA
ALONE
CAN'T
DO
THAT.



THEY'D
TREAT HIM
LIKE A TOY?

THEY'LL
SWARM
HELL-KUN
DAY AND
NIGHT...

THIS
PLACE'LL
ABSORB THE
MOMENT
THEY FIND
OUT
BOTH
THE
RAGE
WELL
AND
HOW AN
GET THE
RECORD
...

OH NO!
THIS IS
BAD...

BUT I
CAN'T
TELL THEM
ABOUT
BELL'S
"LAME
PREDICTION"
...



SO
YOU
CAN'T
SAY?

YA
WOULDN'T
HAPPEN TO
BE USING
YER DIVINE
POWER, NOW,
WOULD
WE?



IS THERE NO HELP OUT
...??

WAAAAHHH.....

IF HER CONCERN IS CLEAN,
THEN THIS SHOULD BE
EASY AS
PIE

WELL
THEN, OUT
WITH IT.



W- NOT
AT ALL!



HEY
HEY

WHAT'S
THE BIG
DEAL?



WHAT?

...HUNT



WHAT DON'T NO
GET ANY-
HEARD VIENT?

WE'RE TALKIN'
ON PEEBLES.

IT'S
TERRIBLE TO
REVEAL
THE DARK
WORKINGS
OF MY
FAMILY.

THAT
INCLUDES
THE
BETTERIES
OF MY
MEMBERS.

SO
WHAT'S
THE POINT
OF YOUR
PERMANENT
GUESTION-
ING?

Fu-fu-fu

WOW
DIDN'T
THIS
ROTHER
YOU SO
MUCH
LOVE?



I WONDER...



LIKE I CARE.



...DO YOU
JEALOUSLY
REMARK?

IS IT
BECAUSE
HEROIN'S
BOY
SPOKE
YOUR
FAVORITE
LITTLE
GIRL'S
RECORD?



I'M
MUCH
MORE
CONCERNED
WITH
THIS
STRANGE
ATTITUDE
OF
YOURS.



RAMPING
UP
WOULD
BE
MORE
THAN
A
POSSIBILITY...

AT
LEAST,
I
WOULD
THINK
SO.

OR,
PERHAPS,
DEFEATING
A
HANDSOME
WASNT
SOMETHING
SPECIAL
TO
HER.

...THEN
THE
EXCELLEN
GAINED
COULD
ALSO
HAVE
HAD
MORE
INFLUENCE
THAN
USUAL.



OF
COURSE
IT'S
DIFFICULT
TO
BELIEVE
IT
FIRST...

...BUT...

YOU
STATED

...THIS
BOY, BY
SOME
MIRACLE,
MANAGED
TO
SLAY
A
HANDSOME,
YEST

BEAT
THE
ODDS
DESPITE
HER
LEVEL.



NOT
THAT
I
WOULDN'T
LIKE
TO
KNOW
MORE.

THAT
WAS
SENSE. YEAH,
THAT
HAS
TO
BE
RIGHT.
NO
FOOT
PRESSING
NO
MORE
KNOWLEDGE.

I
WISH...







WHAT
DO YOU
MEAN
"WASH
ME"?

H-H-HOLD
ON A
SECOND!



YE IDIOT,
WAKE UP.



KEEP
YOUR
EYES
OPEN
IS
WHAT
I'M
SAYING.

AS MUCH
AS IT TAKES
ME TO
WASH
IN...

...I CAN'T
STAND
WATCHING
THAT
IDIOT DO
AS SHE
PLEASURES.



THAT
WOMAN...



...JUST
PROTECTED
A BOX.







STEP 49 == PRISON FOR A NEW ENCOUNTER







IS
THAT...
ALRIGHT?

THANK
YOU VERY
MUCH!

COMMENTS!

IT'S
GREAT
TO
HOPED
YOUR
WINGS
AND
TRY
SOME-
THING
NEW,
ALRIGHT!

MY
SPEND
YOUR
CASH!

MESSAGE
FROM
NANA
MIA
ABOUT

SHE'LL
LOAN
YOU
500
AND
LIVE
AS
LONG
AS
WE
LEASH
W'
DRINK
LSP!



YOU
SEEM
...

OH,
THANKS
...

...TO
BE
IN
A
REALLY
GOOD
MOOD,
SYN-SYN

.....

HEY,
WELL,
PLEASE
DRINK
AS
MUCH
AS
YOU
WANT.

THIS
IS
YOUR
PARTY
AFTER
ALL.

OH,
ALLOW
ME.

YOU
NOTICED
?





HER HEART WAS BEATING SO OVER AND OVER...

LOOK ON THE OTHER HAND, SHE WAS WORRIED ABOUT...

S-SORRY, BELT...



I-I DEFINITELY HAD HELP FROM A LOT OF PEOPLE.

EVEN YOU HELPED, LITTLE BELT...

TO BRING UP ON YOUR OWN LIKE THIS...

I MAY HAVE MISJUDGED YOU.



IF YOU SAY SO...

BE PROUD OF YOUR ACCOMPLISHMENT.

DEFEATING A STRONGER IS PRIDE-WORTHY.

NO NEED TO BE MODEST.



...YOU LOOKED REALLY COOL, BELT-SAMA.

...BUT...

LAST
SCENE

IS ENOUGH
ALREADY...





TURN
HER
DOWN!

IT
COULDN'T
BE THAT
MUCH...

HELL
CAN
TELL!

SHU'LL
BUY
ENOUGH
TO MAKE
YOUR
MONEY
CRACK!

NO,
HELL-
GANG!

BYE-
BYE!
ONLY
WANTS
YOU
THERE TO
CARRY
HER
BAGS!



LVL
KEEP
AN EYE
ON HER
TOMOR-
ROW

DON'T BE
THINKIN'
YA CAN
TAKE
TIME OFF
WHEN
EVER YA
LIKE!

DON'T
PUSH
YER
LUCK,
LADY
BRAIN.



WHO
ME?

Why
would
I do
any-
thing
for
her?



OUCH!!





YES.

ADDITIONAL
MEMBERS
SHOULD
BE ADDED
TO YOUR
BATTLE
PARTY.



RAATHER
THAN
PLAN
FOR THE
WOMAN
FROM THE
BERRY

IT
IS MORE
PRACTICAL
TO AVOID
THOSE
SITU-
ATIONS

WAIT, YOU
SHOULD
COME TO
ROBERT

WOULDN'T
IT BE
EASIER TO
DEAL WITH
IF IT'S
JUST THE
TWO OF
THEM?



ALL..

FOR
DON
37M



MAKE A
THREE-
PERSON
PARTY AT
THE VERY
LEAST.

I
SUGGEST
FINDING
ANOTHER
WORTHY OF
BECOMING
YOUR
ALLY

BEST
TO
PRE-
PARE
FOR
ANY-
THING.





LET US
HAVE
THESE
LADIES
FOR A
WHILETY

I'M TAKING
THIS GUY'S
LITTLE
BABY OF
AN ELF FOR
MYSELF!



IT'S TIME
FOR ME TO
BE A MAN
AND—

NO.

THAT
WILL
NOT BE
NECESSARY



FOR THESE
LADIES
WANT TO
BE A MAN
AND—

NO
THAT'S NOT
RIGHT



THE GIRL
DOES IT
TOOK!





WE'VE BEEN IN
AND OUT OF THE
MOBILE LEVELS
FOR YEARS
NOW.
ARE YOU
SAYING
WE
CAN'T
PASS
TEST A
PLAY
KEY?

QUICK!
WHAT
WAS
THAT
LITTLE
TADPOLE?

HE
DOES
NOT
NEED
YOUR
HELP



PER-
HAPS
NOW HE
SOME.
THE
LIVES
OF MEN
ARE NOT
WORTHY
OF HIM.



IS
THAT
PLAY-
KEY
BETTER
THAN
ANY?

YOU
CLAIMING
THAT
WE, ALL
LEVEL TWO,
AREN'T
ENOUGH?



HANDS
OFF.



SHOCKED, BUT STILL!

ONE LEVEL-2
ADVENTURER
DOWN IN ONE HIT??

WHY ARE
SUCH A
REAL
MAGICAL...

WHA-
HU-
HU-
BETTER
WATCH
YOUR
BACK,
MAGICAL

NO WAY!!



WHAT
THE
HELL
ARE
YOU?



AND
NOW
HE'S
LOST
HIS
TENSES.

AND
CALL
AT
THE
MONEY-
LAWYER
ANYTIME.

COOM







NOW, THEN!



MY APOLO-
GIES!

I HOPE
I DID
NOT RUIN
YOUR CELEBRA-
TION!

TA-
THINK
NORMA-
BAS OF
IT...



SHALL WE
GET THIS
PARTY
BACK ON
THE RIGHT
TRACK?



NEXT
DAY

SEVENTH
FLOOR OF
HARPER
TOWER,
OUTSIDE OF
HERRINGTON
FAMILY'S
OFFICE







HOW
CAN I
HELP
YOU?

HELLO
THERE!



I'M
LOOKING
FOR HELP
IS CROZZO-
THERE? SAITS
ANY IN JAMOR
STOCK?



SAITS
YEAH

IF YOU
SAIT

WWW

..CROZZO
..I

I'D
LIKE
TO
USE
HIS
ARMOR





THERE'S
AT LEAST
ONE
NAME...
...ON MY
LIST OF
CLEFTS
!!

WAA-HA-
HA-HA-HA-
HA!!
WOULD
YOU LOOK
AT THAT!



WELL
GOT TO GO
ARMOR!!



—GOT
SOME
RIGHT
HERE,
ADVENT-
URERS!



THEY
STILL ARE
BOMBS

WOAH...!
LOOKS
JUST
LIKE
MY OLD
SELF!



THE
NAME'S
WELF
CROZZO.



HMM?
HMM?
I DON'T
KNOW!
ISN'T
THIS
YOURS?

SO?
WELF
TRY IT
OUT?



YEAH,
IT'S
MINE.
ALL
RIGHT.

'CAUSE I
FORGOT
IT.



— HMM?



PLEASE,
NOT SO
LOUD...

RECORD
SOUND...

SERIOUSLY
YOU'RE
THE LITTLE
KIDDOGGY?

THE NEW
RECORD
KIDDOGGY?



ORAH,
W-WELL-
GAM.

SO,
YOU
WANTED
TO TALK
TO ME
...?



UM, HOW
OLD ARE
YOU,
CROSSO-
GAM?

WOW-
HOW I
WISHED
YOU'D BE
OLDER
THAN ME.

THEN AGAIN,
AGE
DOESN'T
MATTER
FOR
ADVENTURE,
DOES IT?



NOT
PARTIC-
ULARLY
FOND
OF MY
FAMILY
NAME.

TURVED
SEVEN-
TEEN
THIS
YEAR.

BUT, COULD
YOU DO ME
A FAVOR?
DROP THE
CROSSO.





ONLY THE
NEEDEST WITH
NO MONEY
BUY OUR
STUFF ONCE
IN A WHILE

THAT'S
JUST
HOW IT
IS

ADVEN-
TURERS
LOOK TO THE
HARSH
ONES, BUT
AMONG
YOURSELF
KNOW
IS EASIER
SAID THAN
DONE...

TO BE
BLUNT,
LOW-
BIDDING
BATHS
COMPLETE
FOR
CLIENTS.



WELL,
YEAH,
BUT...

...YOU
WANT ME
TO KEEP
BUYING EQUIP-
MENT
FROM YOU?

SO...

BUT
YOU
DID

NOTHING
COULD
HAVE
BE
HAPPY
THAN
THAT

IT'S NOT
EVERY
DAY LOW-
BIDDING
BATHS
GET RECOGNIZED

...IT'S LIKE
SOME-
THING A
BIT MORE PERMA-
NENT.

YOU'RE
MY FIRST
CLIENT

I CAN'T
LET YOU
WALK
AWAY



MUTUAL BENEFIT, WE HELP EACH OTHER OUT.

I MAKE STRONG WEAPONS AND ARMOR OUT OF THE DROP ITEMS YOU BRING BACK AT A CHEAPER PRICE.

AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN ONE ADVENTURER AND ONE SMITH.



WOULD YOU SIGN A DIRECT CONTRACT WITH MR. BELL CRANWELL?



I'M A NO-NAME SMITH WITHOUT EVEN THE ADVANCED ABILITY 'FORMER.' THE SHOP SHOULD BE ON THE OTHER FOOT, RIGHT?

YOU'RE LEVEL TWO.

HEY, THAT'S MY LEVEL.

ARE YOU SURE IT'S ONLY IT?



WEAPONS TEND TO BE STRONGER WHEN FORGED FOR A SPECIFIC PERSON.

DIRECT CONTRACT ...!

GO TO THAT...



Y-YES...

THEY'RE STANDING RIGHT AT US.

SEE THOSE GUYS OVER THERE BY THE SHOP?!



FOR BETTER OR WORSE, LEVEL-TWO ADVENTURERS ALL HAVE A TARGET ON THEIR BACKS AFTER MAKING UP THAT'S THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN LOWER- AND LOWER-CLASS ADVENTURING.

RIGHT?

THEY'RE AFTER YOU.

SPECIFICALLY, A PEST CONTRACT, JUST LIKE ME.



...THAT'S THE SPIEL, ANYWAY.

BUT SOMEONE'S LEVEL DOESN'T MATTER THAT MUCH TO ME.



AND BECOMING AN ADVENTURER WITH YOUR POTENTIAL IS GREAT FOR ME, WHICH IS WHY BRINGING A DEAL IS GREAT FOR ME.



I WANT TO BE YOUR GO-TO GUY FOR SOMETHING.



YOU'RE OF
ALL THE
OPTIONS
OUT
THERE,
YOU
CHOOSE MY
ARMOR.

NEVER
THOUGHT
THIS DAY
WOULD
COME.
THAT
SOMEONE
WOULD
WANT
TO USE
SOME-
THING I
MADE...
OR
KNOW?

IT'S AN
AWESOME
FEELING.
I CAN
TELL YOU
THAT
ALREADY!



HE'S A
GOOD
SMITH...
AND A
GOOD
PERSON.

I CAN SEE
MYSELF
WORKING
TOGETHER
WITH HIM.



I CAN'T
EXPLAIN
IT, BUT...

...THE
SOUND
PRETTY
GOOD.

I'LL
SIGN A
CONTRACT
WITH YOU,
MILF-
GAL.

...OKAY
THEN.



DON'T
KNOW
WHAT I'D
DO IF YOU
SAID NO!

IT'S
SETTLED!



HE
TOOK!

LOOKING
FORWARD
TO
WORKING
WITH YOU,
BILL...

PA
SANE

WOAH!

YEAH!



... BUT FOR
NOW, CAN
I ASK A
FAVOR?

I'LL
PREPARE
THE PAPERS
AND STUFF
NEXT
TIME...





FINALLY.
THE
ELEVENTH
FLOOR!



IT'S
NO
PROBLEM.

WE
ALREADY
AGREED
ON A
CONTRACT.

...
ANY-
WAY.

GLAD TO
SEE YOUR
FAMILY.
BUT EX-
CUSE ME
FROM
DUNGEON
PAWLS-
AND.

SORRY
ABOUT
THIS.
BUT I'VE
ASKED
A LOT
OF YOU
SINCE WE
MET.

.....









...WILL
LET ME
JOIN
THEIR
BATTLE
PARTY

WELL-
THINGS
ARE
BAD?

SORRY
ABOUT
THIS. NO
ONE IN MY
FAMILY...

...I ONLY
HEARD
WE HAD
A NEW
MEM-
BER.



SIGH...
LILLY IS
SAD.

JUST
AS SHE
FEARED,
BELL-
SANA'S
BROUGHT
SUCH A
PROBLEM
...

BUT WHY
BELL-
SANA?

WAS YOUR
THOUGHT
BOUGHT
BY SUCH
SIMPLE
THINGS?



I JUST
WENT THE
FOURTH
ABILITY IS
ACCURATE?
HMM?

IT'S NOT
LIKE HE
WANTS
TO
BECOME
A PER-
MANENT
MEMBER?

BELL-
SANA
AND
LILLY ARE
BEING
USED?

THIS IS
MEANING-
LESS

WHAT
MISUN-
DER-
STAND-
ING?

THERE'S NO
PROBLEM,
JUST A
MISUNDER-
STANDING!

ISN'T
THAT
TOO
EARLY??

WELL-
SANA'S NOT
TRYING TO
DO
ANYTHING
BAD.....



HEHEHE-
SANA ENTHUSIA-
STIC LILLY WITH
MAKING SURE
BELL-
SANA IS
SAFE!

NOT
NEED-
SABLY
BUT...
...LILLY MIGHT
GET IN TROUBLE
IF BELL-
SANA
DOESN'T
TALK TO HER
ABOUT THESE
THINGS!

D-
DID I
MISHE-
AR?

WHY
DON'T
BELL-
SANA
CONSULT
LILLY
BEFORE
MAKING
THIS
DECISION
IF

LILLY'S
MOM IS
LILLY-
LUNA
BRO!

LILLY
IS NOT
"SMALL
FRY"!

OH?
AM I
GETTING
IN THE
WAY,
SMALL
FRY?

...LILLY
DOESN'T
CARE
ANYMORE!
IT'S
POINT-
LESS!

30
the
ending

DEAR
PLEASED
TO
MEET'CHA.
LIL E.





DO YOU REALLY
NOT KNOW,
BELL-
SAMA
...?

UM,
UM...

CR00007



SOME
CLAIM
THAT
THESE
SHRODS
WERE
POWERFUL
ENOUGH
TO "SET
FIRE TO
THE SEA"
...

MASTERS
OF THE
MAGIC
SHROD, A
SYMBOL
OF THEIR
TIME

... HUNDREDS
OF
THOUSANDS
OF THEM
AT THEIR
PEAK.

IT'S SAID
THE ONLY
THING THEY
EVER MADE
WAS MAGIC
SHRODS...

THE
CR0000
FAMILY...
LONG
AGO, THEY
WERE
GRANTED
NOBLE
STATUS
BY A KING
FOR THE
MAGIC
SHRODS
THEY
FORGED.

... BUT ONE
DAY THEY
LOST THE
KING'S
FAVOR...

... AND
THEIR
HOUSE
FELL
INTO
RUIN...

THAT
MANY
...!?





MONSTER PARTY...!

IT'LL BE GREAT IF BELL-SANA CHECKED ON US FROM TIME TO TIME, THOUGH...

HELL-SANA WILL SUPPORT THE SMITH FROM BEHIND.

BELL-SANA, PLEASE FIGHT AS YOU LIKE.

THIS ROOM IS VERY HUGE. WE CAN RETREAT TO THE TENTH IF NECESSARY.

SUDDENLY, I GOT DREAMS OF MONSTERS IN A SMALL AREA. THIS IS WHY I'VE TEN AND BELOW GET REALLY SCARY.







NOTHING'S
THE SAME
AS IT WAS
BEFORE!

COM-
PLETELY...
DIFFER-
ENT.

THE
GOODNESS IS
BLESSING!

STRENGTH
SPEED
REFLEXES...
ALL MUCH
BETTER!

SO THIS
IS A
BLOOD-
LINE...





GO
GOLD

THE
STRONGEST
MONSTER
IN THE
UPPER
LEVEL...



BUT
I CAN
STOP...





FIREBOLT





—I'M
CATCHING
UP FOR
SURE!



EVERY-
THING IS
UP A
NOTCH

EVEN MY
BASIC IS
STRONG-
ER...



!! OOOOOOOO!!



SHE
WAS LIKE
A FAR
AWAY
DREAM...

...BUT I'M
GETTING
CLOSER TO
THAT LONG,
BLOND HAIR.



STEP 52 >> THE SMITH'S SKILLS









AND STAY
DOWN!

HAAAI

HAAAI







HEY...!?



WHAT'S DONE IS DONE.
NO USE CRYING OVER IT.

OH,
AND DON'T
CALL ME
THAT.

OUR
TROOPS
WILL
CATCH

GRASSY-
BANKA,
WE'RE
GOING TO
HAVE A
PROBLEM
IF YOU
KEEP
BRAGGING
ABOUT
STRENGTH!



LOOK OUT
BEHIND
YOUR
THERE'S
—!



HUFF..

HUFF..



DAMN!

SILVER-
BACKS
...

THE
GOLD IS
TROUBLE...



THREE ON
ONE AND
I'M SUR-
ROUNDED
...

DAMNIT...

I
MIGHT
AS WELL
BE
FIGHT-
ING
AND
WALK
OUT
HERE!



I DON'T EVEN WANT
SUPPORTER
GAY GET
ME OUT
OF THIS
MESS

I TOLD
YOU NOT
TO CALL
ME THAT!

CROOED-
BAM!

NEED
TO GET
OUT
OF
HERE...

WUT...
IS THAT
EVEN
POSSI-
BLE?



GOTTA
PREPARE
FOR THE
Worst
AND LET
EVERYTHING
RIDE ON
THIS LAST
CHARGE
—!

DAMN,
I'M
PINNED.



TOY!

GA
AA
AAA
A!







BELL!
THERE'S
STILL
ONE
MORE—!



TCH!





I'M NOT
SO BARE
MYSELF...

I DON'T
EVEN
SEE YOU
FLY IN.

YOU'RE
ONE FAST
DUDE, YOU
KNOW
THAT?



BUT I
DON'T THINK
I BLEW
AS MANY
MONSTERS
AS I
USUALLY
DO.

ONE
THING'S
FOR
SURE, DUNGEON
CRAWLING
IS A LOT
EASIER
WITH A
STRONG
ALLY.



TEAM-
WORK WAS
A LITTLE
ROUGH
AROUND
THE EDGES,
BUT OUR
MOVEMENTS
SPROOD
UP...

... AND IT'S
ALL THANKS
TO LILY E.

NOT BAD
FOR OUR
FIRST
TIME OUT
AS A
GROUP TEAM?



THANKS
TO LILLY?



THAT'S
THE
NICE
THING
ABOUT
BEING
IN A
PARTY.

YOU
DON'T
HAVE TO
WORK AS
HARD SO
YOU'RE
FREE TO
MOVE
HOW YOU
WANT.
ESPE-
CALLY
WHEN
IT
COMES
TO
MON-
STERS.



A LOT OF PARTIES ON THIS LEVEL ARE GETTING READY TO ENTER THE MIDDLE LEVELS. I BET MANY OF THE ADVENTURERS ARE LEVEL TWO.

HOLY COW... THIS IS THE ELEVENTH FLOOR, SO IT MAKES SENSE THAT OTHER PARTIES LOOK REALLY STRONG...

...AM I REALLY ON PAR WITH THESE PEOPLE?



HOW DID I...

...I
ACTIVATE
ARSONAUT
IN THE
FIRST PLACE?

I COMPLETELY FORGOT ABOUT THE NOTHING HAPPENING IN THAT LAST SLITTLER... RIGHT?

MAYBE I NEED TO DO SOMETHING TO TRIGGER IT?

WAIT A MINUTE. MY SKILL...

...
ARSONAUT

THEY PROBABLY HAVE SOME AMAZING ABILITY OR SKILL TOO.



I
WANTED
TO BE
LIKE
THEM.

TO GET
ONE
STEP
CLOSER.

THAT
WAS
ALL I
WANTED.

LIKE THE
HEROES OF
TALES
AND
LEGENDS—

LIKE THE
MEN WHO
PUT THEM-
SELVES
AT RISK
TO SAVE
LIVES—

LIKE THE
WOMEN
WHO STOOD
UP AND
FOUGHT
WITHOUT
FEAR, NO
MATTER
THE
ODDS—

BACK
THEN,
I—

HEROIC
DESIRE—

LIKE
THE
GIRL
WHO
SAVED
ME—







SEN-
SEI
ALICE
FORTY-
FOUR



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WHO THE HELL WOULD GET HIT BY A CLUMSY WEAPON LIKE THAT?!

OUTTA MY WAY, BLAME ME IF YOU GET SLICED IN HALF!

THE
GANG



THAT ADVENTURE WE SAW ON THE WAY DOWN SEEMS TO HAVE AWAKENED THEIR SENSES

AREN'T WE LIKE GETTING SAVED?

SOME-
THING
GOT 'EM
BROUGHT
IN A BUNCH
FINA, WHAT
IS THE WORLD
HAPPENED
BEFORE OUR
REBIRTH?



ME AND
I CAN
ATTEND.

BOTH
OF US READ
THE STATUS
ON HIS BACK.

OVERSEA

WELL, PEOPLE
THINK
SOMEONE
PLAY
TA ME...
WHAT
DID NO
THINK
OF THIS
ADVENTURE,
SEEK
AND
WITH
YOU
OWN
EYES?



NOPE,
LITTER.

THE
HELL?

OUR
GOLD-
ONE
THAT
GOOD
IN THE
MIDDLE
FLOODS?



A
LEVEL
ONE
BUTTER
A BIRTH-
TAKEN?

A M-
MOMENT
APPEARED
ON THE
NINTH
LEVEL...

...AND A
LEVEL-ONE
ADVENTURER
TOOK IT
DOWN.



...I STILL
THINK
YOU'RE
PULLING
MY LEG.



THE
POSSIBLE-
MY ONE
OF US
WILL
FALL
TO
DANGER
SOME, SO
WITNESS-
ING A LIFE-
OR-DEATH
BATTLE
WAS...

IT
BREATH-
TAKING.



HE
WAS
RATHER
BRASH
AND
VERY
IN-
EXPERI-
ENCED.

...BUT I
CAN UNDER-
STAND WHY
BUTS
AND
THE OTHERS
CAN'T STAND
STILL.

BEING
THAT BOY
DEMANDED
THAT THEY
ARE
ADVENTURERS,
JUST LIKE
ME.



...I WILL
BECOME
EVEN
STRONGER—

DO NOT
WASTE
YOUR
BREATH.
HER
SPIRIT IS
ALIGHT.

...OL
AT...



WAR
PRIN-
CESS—
SENJO—
HAS
AWAK-
ENED...

DUNGEON
FLOOR
ELEVEN

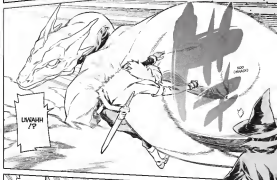






IN—

INFANT
DRAGON
...?



LAAGAH
??



IT'S
PRACTI-
CALLY A
FLOOD
GOD!!

WE'LL
NEED
EVERY-
ONE
TOGETHER
TO STAND
A CHANCE!

RARE
MONSTER
...!

FOA

ROAR!









I
DO...

SO YOU
SAY THAT
SKILL OF
YOURS TO
WORK?



IT WAS
INANELY
POWERFUL.
FUE.

I THINK
WHATEVER
ACTION I
TAKE
BECOMES
MORE
POWERFUL
THE
LONGER
I
CHARGE
IT...



...OH,
THAT'S
GOOD.

.....



THAT
SKILL
IS THE
POWER TO
TURN THE
TABLES.

I'M
GOING TO
GO AHEAD
AND GIVE
YOU MY
PERSONAL
ASSESS-
MENT.



ASSESSMENT

BELL-
FOR
COULD
YOU
TURN
AROUND
AND
SHOW
ME
YOUR
STATUS
REAL
SHORT

ALL
RIGHT



THE PATH TO
HEROISM—

HIS DESIRE TO
BECOME A HERO
WAS STRONG, AND
BY SOME MIRACLE
HE DID.

A STORY
ABOUT A BOY
WHO DREAMS
OF BEING
A HERO.

— ARGONAUT.





THE BALL DRAG-
GALLY INCREASES
YOUR STRENGTH
WHEN THE BATTLE
COMES DOWN TO
A FINAL BLOW.



EVEN IN
THE FACE
OF OVER-
WHELMING
ODDS...
...IT
GIVES YOU
A CHANCE
TO PUNCH
THROUGH
AND TURN
THE TIDE.



A HEROIC
STRIKE.

WHAT
YOU HAVE
THREE
IS—



REMEMBER
THAT.



— YES...

THE
— ...



SPEAK-
ING OF
YOUR
PARTY,
DIDN'T
YOU SAY
A SMITH
JOINED
YOU?

GOT
CAUGHT
UP FOR A
SECOND
THERE!



HAHA



OF
COURSE
IT WILL!

THIS
WILL
REALLY
COME IN
HANDY IF
I LEARN
HOW TO
USE IT
RIGHT!
I CAN
PROTECT
THE WEDDING
PARTY
YEAR!

AM
YEA!





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HOW
WOULD
YOU KNOW
SOMETHING
LIKE THAT,
BOBBESST?

WELP-
SAYS REPU-
TION...??



OH?
THAT'S RIGHT!
ONE OF
REPAIR/STOCK
FARM, MY
WEAPON
SHOPS...!

DID
REPH-
ASTOS-
NAME
TELL YOU
ANYTHING
ABOUT
WELP-
SAYS?



DID YOU
FORGET
WHEN I
SAID??



SHE
SAID HE
HAS A
SPECIAL
SLOW
ABOUT
HIM...

...AND
HER
FACE LIT
RIGHT UP.



YEP!
SHE
WAS A BIT
DUMB AT THE
TIME
THOUGH...



RYON-
KOGAK...!

HE
KNOWS
SENSE!

AH!

WONDER
WHAT IT
COULD BE!

... BUT
SHE ALSO
SAYS SHE'S
A DISAP-
POINTMENT...

... IN
TERMS
OF SEN-
SIBILITY



...!

...
MAGIC...
SWORDS-
SMITH?

... HE CAN
MAKE
MAGIC
SWORDS—

NOT
SOME
CHEAP
IMITATION,
BUT THE
REAL
THING.

... HIS
MAGIC
SWORDS
ARE STRONG
ENOUGH TO
OVERPOWER
THE FABLE'S
HIGH
CASTLE.

WEAPONS
WORTHY
OF BEING
CALLED
"CROSSIN'S
MAGIC
SWORDS."



THERE'S
MORE.

NEPALETON
IS
ESPECIALLY
RICH IN
HERBALS
THE FAMIL-

WUMP
HOW
DO YOU
MEANT?



WELL

... TO
GET
RIGHT
TO THE
POINT.



...IS
IT A
SINGLE P

HE CAN
MAKE ANYONE
SWOON
WITHOUT
FORCE...

WHY? HE
HAS A BUILT
SKILL THAT
ALLOWED HIM
TO MAKE
THEM... OR
SOMETHING
LIKE THAT?



BUT DON'T
SARTAS
...
...NEED
THE
FORCE
ABILITY
TO MAKE
MAGIC
WORKS
...?

YES,
THE
CRISTO
FAMILY
IS THE
REAL
DEAL...
HE
HAS
THREE
SPOONS
IN HIS
VEINS.

THAT
SHOULD
BE TRUE...
BUT FOR
WHATEVER
REASON,
HE CAN
JUST
RUE
HEPHISTOS
SAID SO
HIMSELF



...?

...BUT
...
...HE
DIDN'T
MAKE
THEM



THAT
STUBBORN-
NESS IS
COSTING
HIM THE
POSITION OF
HIGH SMITH.

PAVE AND
FORTUNE
ARE
PRACTICALLY
GUARANTEED
IF HE JUST
MADE ONE.
BUT HE
DIDN'T
EVEN TRY.



EVEN SO,
REALLY,
DIDN'T
MAKE
THAT!

CONSUMERS
WOULD BE
LIVING UP
AT THE SOON
FROM MYSTIC
WEAPON LIKE
THAT!

I CAN'T
IMAGINE
HOW MANY
PEOPLE
WANT A
MAGIC
SWORD.

IT CAN ONLY
BE LOVED SO
MANY TIMES,
BUT ANYONE
CAN USE THEIR
POWER IN
BATTLE.

MAGIC
SWORD—A
WEAPON THAT
CAN PRODUCE
MAGIC WITH
A SWOOSH OF
THE BLADE.



SOME-
THING IS
HOLDING
HIM
BACK...
IS THAT
I THINK
ANYWAY

THAT'S
THE
SMITH YOU
MENTIONED
UP WITH.

THAT
HAS TO
BE THE
REASON
HE'S
LEFT
OUT
BY HIS
OWN
FAMILY...

I'M SURE
THAT'S
BECAUSE
THEY'RE
JEALOUS
OF HIS
Talent.

I'VE
HEARD
THE
OTHER
SMITH
TALK
ABOUT
HIM.

HE'S
CALLED
ALL
SORTS
OF
WEAPONS
LIKE
"CROCODILE
THE
DEFECTIVE."



EVEN THE
GOSS HAVE
THOUGHT
THEY DON'T
WANT
OTHERS TO
KNOW.

SO,
PLEASE
KEEP AN
OPEN
MIND.

—WELL—
KUN.

YOU
HAVE
TO BE
ABLE
TO ACCEPT
A
SECRET OR
TWO WITH A
SMILE.





YOU HAVE A
NEW ALLY

IS THAT
SO?



GAIL...
LYU-SANT?

CRUEL-
SAN

...IS THIS
PERSON WORTHY
OF YOUR TRUST?

...



IT WAS
NOT MY
INTENTION
TO
ACQUAINT
YOU OF

CRUISING-
STANCES
CHANCE
WAS
ADVENTURE-
BOSS FROM
DIFFERENT
PARTIES
FROM A
BATTLE
PARTY

MY
APOLO-
GIES



IT MIGHT
ONLY BE
TEMPORARY
BUT YES...



His name is Relf Cross-
man and he—

Here one of
Mephisto's
Pawns is
sitting.

Our
Gorogoros
are on good
terms,
so there
shouldn't be
a problem.



Crosso...



Very
well.

It's
already

gone...

That
name...
Many
elves
cannot
recall it.

But in
reality,
this may
not be the
informa-
tion you
seek.

Um...
could
you tell
me why?

DUE TO THEIR
DEITY BEING
A GOD OF WAR,
RAHLE WAS EX-
TREMELY AGGRES-
SIVE.

THE FULL
POWER OF
GASTRO'S
MAGIC
SWOOSH
WAS
UNLEASHED
MANY TIMES
WITHIN THE
COUNTRY'S
LONG
HISTORY OF
DEFEATING
WARS.

EVERY
ONE OF ITS
CITIZENS
FOLLOW
A SINGLE
DEITY
THEY
ARE ONE
FAMILY.

THE
CROED
FAMILY
PRODUCED
A LARGE
SUPPLY
OF MAGIC
SWOOSHES
IN ORDER
TO ENHANCE
THEIR
POWER AND
ACQUIRE
MORALITY.

THE FAMILY
OF MAGIC
SWOOSH-
SMITHS
KNOW AS
"CROED"

IT
RESIDES
IN THE
KINGDOM
OF RAHLE

...A
COUNTRY
RELATIVELY
CLOSE TO
GASTRO

RAHLE
HAD TRE-
MENDOUS
FIREPOWER
AT THEIR
BACK AND
CALL IN
THOSE DAYS.

WITH NO
NEED TO
STRATEGIZE,
THEY LAD
WASTE
TO THEIR
ENEMIES,
BURNING
THEM OUT OF
EXISTENCE
WITH OVER-
WHELMING
FORCE.

CAN YOU
ENVISION
THAT,
CANNELL-
SANT

AN
ARMY OF
SOLDIERS
EQUIPPED
WITH
MAGIC
SWOOSHES



VICTORY AFTER
VICTORY, AN
EASTON-
PALE, WEAPONRY
MAGNETAL
ARMY...

...DARK
REAPED
THE
BENEFITS
OF MAGIC
MAGICAL,
NOTHING
COULD
STOP THEIR
ADVANCE.



NOT A
SINGLE
BLADE OF
GRASS
SURVIVED
THE
INFERNO,
LEAVING
A BARREN
WASTE-
LAND OF
ASH

THE
WAR
THEY
WAGED
CHANGED
THE FACE
OF THE
WORLD.



...SO
THE
SLAVE...

...WERE
DRIVEN
OUT OF
THEIR
HOMES?

THE FIRM
OF WAR
REACHED
AN ELATION
FOREST...



THEY
WERE
SMOKED
OUT...

...AS
THEIR
HOME-
LAND
BURNED.



BY THAT TIME,
SILKIA NO LONGER
HAD HUNG THOUGHTS
AND SUFFERED MANY
CASUALTIES.

THE SURVIVORS
JOINED A
FAMILY TO
RECEIVE A
PLEASANT
LIFE.



THAT
IS WHY
"CROSSO"
IS A NAME
THAT MANY
ELVES
CANNOT
IGNORE...

FOR THOSE
ON THE
RECEIVING
END OF
MAGIC
SWORDS,
HATING THE
CROSSO
FAMILY
MIGHT BE
A CASE OF
MIS-PLACED
ANGER...

BUT
THERE
ARE
MANY
WHO
CANNOT
LET GO
OF THE
PAST



DO
NOT
GASP!



AND FOR
YOU...

...LIVE
SAFELY



YOU
DON'T
IF

FOR
THE
FUTURE

NO, I
FARROW
NO ILL
WILL.



AW, THERE YOU ARE!



OH NO, I'M RUNNING LATE...



YO, BELL... MORNIN'.

WELP-SAN!



THE OWNER OF THE SHOP HERE'S SAYING IT IS PROBABLY THE ONLY ONE WHO CAN TAKE CARE OF HER.

TALKED TO HER A FEW MINUTES AGO.



UM... WHY ARE YOU HERE?

OH, GOOD AFTERNOON.



LILY IS ASKING ME A MESSAGE FOR YOU. SOUNDS LIKE SHE CAN'T JOIN US IN THE DUNGEON TODAY.



I DON'T KNOW...
WE WON'T GET AS MANY MAGIC STONES AND DRAGON ITEMS WITHOUT LILY...
IT MIGHT BE A GOOD IDEA TO WAIT A DAY...



SO, WHAT DO YOU WANT TO DO? GO TO THE DUNGEON AS A TWO-MAN SQUAD?



HUH?

THEN...

SURE, I OBEY...

...CAN I HAVE SOME OF YOUR TIME TODAY?







ONLY KOPARSTON
FAMILY DOES THAT

EVERY
MEMBER
HAS THEIR
OWN
PRIVATE
WORK-
SPACE.

MY FAMILY
ASSIGNED
ME TO THIS
WORKSHOP



THEN
WHY...?

POUR
IT'S BE
IT.
MUCH
EASIER TO
BUILD ONE
BIG WORK-
SHOP MORE
EFFICIENT
TOO.

YOU
MEAN
IT'S NOT
NORMAL
FOR
SOMEONE
TO HAVE
THEIR
OWN
SPACE?



WELL,
ENOUGH
ABOUT
THE
WORK-
SHOP

THAT'S
THE WAY
KOPARSTON
FAMILY
DOES IT.

THEY'RE MY
ALLIES AND
MY RIVALS.

SO
OTHER
SOMEONE
DON'T
SEE YOUR
TECH-
NOLOGIES.

MY WAY
IS MORE
EASIER







BUT I...
I'D LIKE
TO TRY IT
OUT.



YEAH,
THAT'S
FINE,
BUT...

...THE
SHOP
SENT IT
BACK TO
ME BE-
CAUSE IT
WOULDN'T
SELL.



.....



...and

SO
DELL...

YOU
REALLY
AGREED
AFTER
A MASS
DISCORD,
DID YOU?



I
COULDN'T
CARE
LESS
WAS
JUST
WONDERING
HOW
LOOK AT ME
DURING
BATTLE...
...SORRY
FOR
TESTING
YOU LIKE
THAT

S-SORRY
ABOUT
THAT! MY
GODDESS
MEANS
HELL!

THE
GUYS AT
BABEL
TOLD
ME

YOU
HEARD
ALL
ABOUT
ME, TRUTH?
THAT
GODDESS
OF
YOURS
WHAT DID
HESTER-
SARA
SAID?



REALLY CRASHED
HE OFF BALANCE

NEVER
ORAINED
YOU'D GO
AFTER A
REJECTED
BLADE
BEFORE
A RAIN
SHEDD.



CAN
YOU
MAKE
SOME-
THING
OUT OF
THIS?

IT'S A
DROP ITEM
I GOT
FROM A
PHOTOLIA



LIT
ME
SEE

OH
THAT'S
RIGHT



BUT A
BIT OFF-
TRACKED
IS THERE
ANYTHING
YOU WANT
OTHER
THAN THE
BROAD-
SWORD?



I CAN
MAKE A
DARK
FINE
BLADE
BY
HAM-
MERING
IT INTO
SHAPE,
BUT...

AND
AND-
OLD
MAGICS
ALWAYS
BEST
NEXT
THIS
ONE
LOOKS
DENSER
THAN
THE
AVERAGE
WOOD...



WELL,
I'D LIKE
TO TAKE
MY TIME
WITH
THIS
ONE.
CAN
YOU
LET
ME
DO
MY OWN
THING?







BUT SOME OF THEM LOOKED AT MY WORK.

TRUTH BE TOLD, I'VE HAD PLenty OF CUSTOMERS TOO MANY AND THEY ALL WANTED MAGIC SWORDS.



...THERE ARE A FEW REASONS.



THING IS, I HATE MAGIC SWORDS.



EVERY SINGLE ONE OF THEM WANTS THAT POWER, AND IT'S HIDING WITH THEIR HEADS. SO I TURNED THEM ALL AWAY!

MAGIC SWORDS, MAGIC SWORDS, MAGIC SWORDS... YOU'RE THE ONLY PERSON WHO DIDN'T ASK FOR ONE.



BUT... THAT CAN'T BE THE ONLY REASON, RIGHT...?

GA-
GA-
GA.



THAT
SOMEBODY
HAPPENED TO
BE ONE OF
THE "DOGS'
FAVORED
CHILDREN" -
A FAIRY.

THAT
ANCESTOR
PUT HIS
LIFE ON
THE LINE
TO SAVE
SOMEONE
FROM A
MONSTER.

THERE
ONCE
WAS AN
ORDINARY
MAN WITH
THE NAME
"CROCEO."

DO YOU
KNOW
WHY THE
CROCEO
FAMILY
CAN MAKE
MAGIC
GROGGS?

...IN THE
FIRST
PLACE?

THE FAIRY
WANTED
TO HAVE
THE MAN
BLEEDING
OUT
FROM HIS
WOUNDS.
SO
IT GAVE
HIM
SOME OF
ITS OWN
BLOOD.



YEAH

...WE
HAVE
FAIRY
BLOOD
RUNNING
THROUGH
US

THEN
THAT
MEANS
THE
CROCEO
FAMILY
HAS ...?

BUT ON TOP OF THAT, THE ANCESTOR COULD USE MAGIC...

...AS WELL AS FORCE MAGIC SWORDS.

THAT ANCESTOR MADE A COMPLETE RECOVERY AFTER DRINKING THE FAMILY'S BLOOD.

A FULL-BLOWN MIRACLE.

YEAH.

ONE THAT ALLOWS US TO MAKE MAGIC SWORDS.

A SKILL.

OH?

THAT ALL CHANGED WHEN HIS DESCENDANTS RECEIVED A BLESSING FROM ONE GENERATION AGO.

THOSE ANCESTORS WEREN'T DROPPED DOWN TO HIS LEVEL IN THE SAME WAY, BUT...

THEY KEPT MAKING MAGIC SWORDS TO SATISFY THEIR DESIRE.

THE ANCESTOR BECAME DARK HEED BEYOND THE REACH OF THEIR SWORDS. THE ANCESTORS KEPT COMING... AND THE SWORDS GOT COOKED.

THE REST IS JUST AS I'VE SAID.

THE CROSSED FAMILY GAINED STATUS BY SELLING MAGIC SWORDS TO DARK.

...THEY DIRECTED THEIR HATRED AT MAGIC SWORDS AND THE CROSSED FAMILY.

...THE FAMILY WHO LOST THEIR HOMES.

THE ELVES WATCHED THEIR FOREST'S BURN TO THE GROUND...



THEY'RE
SACRIFICING

MOVING
THE
FAMILY'S
GARGOIS
AWAY OUT??

NO ONE
KNOWS
BUT THE
CROSSING
LOST
THE
ABILITY
TO
FORGE
MAGIC
GARGOIS

THEY
CLIMB
TO
ENTER
SCALES,
THEY
LOST
EVERY-
THING
ALMOST
OVER-
NIGHT

I'M
SURE
MAGUS
SUGGS
THE
FAMILY
TO
GET
REVENGE

UNTIL
ONE
HIT
EVERY
MAGIC
GARGOIS
ON
THE
FIELD
SCATTERED
FOR
NO
REASON

DAVE
WAS
COMPLETELY
DEPENDENT
ON
THEM,
AND
THE
KINGDOM
LOST
EVERY
BATTLE
AFTER
THAT



OR
MAYBE
IT'S
JUST
HELP-
SAY??



YEAH,
I
CAN

NO
CLUE
WHY
THOUGH

BUT
WHY
CAN'T
YOU
MAKE
MAGIC
GARGOIS,
HELP-
SAY...?



...FROM
THE
MOUTH
OF
MY
OLD
MOM

I
DON'T
WANT
IT

BUT
I'M
FORCED
TO
CONSIDER
IT
BY
MY
OLD
MOM
FOR
GIVING
THE
FAMILY
NAME...
I
KNOW
THEY
WILL
TRY
TO
REVERSE
THE
FAMILY
NAME...



WANTED
ME
TO
HAVE
A
PENG
TO
GET
THE
KING'S
ATTENTION,
BUT
THEY
NEVER
TALKED
ABOUT
THAT
PART

THE
THING
WAS...

ONCE
THEY
LEARNED
WHAT
I
COULD
DO,
THEY
WANTED
I
FORGE
MAGIC
GARGOIS

THAT'S
NOT WHAT
WEAPONS
ARE FOR,
NOT EVEN
CLOSE.

BUT IT'S
WRONG.





THEY AREN'T
POLI-
TICAL
TOOLS...

...OR A
WAY TO
RAISE
MORALE.

A WEAPON
IS PART
OF ITS
WELDER.



NO MATTER
WHAT
DEGRADATE
SOMEONE
IS IN...

...THEY
JUST
ALWAYS
BE ABLE
TO COUNT
ON THEIR
WEAPON.

WEAPON
AND
WELDER
BECOME
ONE THE
MOMENT
ONE TAKES
HOLD OF
THE HILT.



...IS TO
MAKE A
PIECE
CAPABLE
OF THAT.

AND THE
SMITH'S
JOB...



WE PUSH
METAL TO
ITS LIMITS
USING
THE
HOTTEST
FLAMES.

A WEAPON
CAN ONLY
BE MADE
WHEN WE
BRING
EVERYTHING
TO BEAR.

FORGET
WHAT IT
MEANS
TO BE A
SMITH?

WHAT'LL
HAPPEN
IF WE
HALF-
ASS
IT?

FAIL TO POUR
BLOOD
AND
SWEAT
INTO
IT?



THE
WELDER'S
FACE,
THE
SMITH'S
DIGNITY—

EVERY-
ONE AND
EVERY-
THING...

THAT
POWER
ROTS
PEOPLE
FROM
THE
INSIDE.



I HATE
MAGIC
SWORDS.

THEY
ALWAYS
BREAK,
LEAVING
THEIR
WELDER
BEHIND.

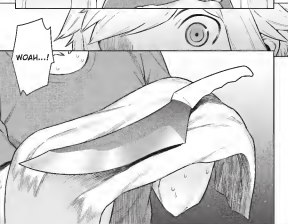


I LOATHED
MAGIC
SWORDS.



EVEN IF
I DID, I
WOULD
NEVER
SELL
ONE!!

I REFUSE
TO MAKE
MAGIC
SWORDS!!







WOW
pick-up
DANCE



STEP 56 >> A NEW CONQUEST













NO,
NO, NO,
NO, NO!
IT'S
USHI-
WAKA-
MARU!!

THAT'S
WHAT WE
DECIDED!

AIN'T
MINOTAN
GREAT!

YEAH!
WAY TO
TEAR IT
UP!

MINOTAN

OH
YEAH,
WE
DID—

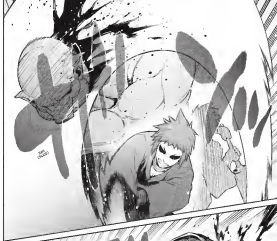
HAH!



IT'S
MONSTER
MONSTER!
HELP!
HELP!









...SORRY
ABOUT THAT.

...SHOULD'VE
BEEN
MORE
CAREFUL.



NO MORE...
WHAT ARE
YOUR
FEELINGS
FOR?

HA...



NOW THAT
ALL THE
MONSTERS
IN THIS
AREA HAVE
BEEN TAKEN
CARE OF...

...LET'S GO
OVER THE
PLAN ONE
MORE TIME.

ARE BOTH
OF YOU
PREPARED?







HELL-
GAM'S
NOT
CONCERNED
THAT
HELL-
GAM
DIDN'T
UNDER-
STAND
THE
CONCEPT
THAT
HE
WAS
AT?

HELL...?
I
WASNT
...?

HELL,
HELL!

WHAT
THE
YOU
LAUGHING
AT??



...THE
THREE
OF
US
RECORDING
AN
ACTUAL
PARTY
MAKES
ME,
I
DON'T
KNOW,
HAPPY

6-
SOBRY

BUT
THIS
IS
EXCITING,
ISNT
IT?



ALL
OF
US
WORKING
TOGETHER
AND
GOING
ON
AN
ADVENTURE

AND
ALSO
...

...ISNT
THIS
KIND
OF
EXHILA-
RATING?

RIGHT!

YES
HELL!



I'M NOT
ALONE
ANYMORE!

I'M WITH
FRIENDS! I
CAN COUNT
ON—

LET'S
GO...

...TO
THE
MIDDLE
LEVELS
—!

I WILL
CATCH UP
TO HER!

















ESPE-
CULLY—

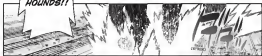
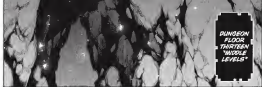
HESLY'S
LITTLE
ROOKE.

I'M
JUST AS
CURIOUS
ABOUT
HIM AS
EVERYONE
ELSE.



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THE MONSTER
KNOWN AS
BASKER-
VILLE...
RIGHT OFF
THE BAT!



LELY
BELIEVES
YOU
ALREADY
KNOW.
BUT...



REGULAR
ARMOR
DOESN'T
STAND A
CHANCE
AGAINST A
HELL-
HOUND'S
FIRE
BREATH!



YEAH! WE
KNOW --!



SLAY
THE HELL-
HOUNDS
FIRST!







HELL-
SAMAA!



GEH...!







WELF'S
GAVE...

NO
CONNECTION...



SHLIMMER
DER MOOL
IS ANA-
BAD...!

Y-
YES

I
THINK
SO...



AH-HA-
HA-HA...
I GOT
THEM AT
A DIS-
COUNT

WELF-
SARA
SHE WILL
TAKE
GOOD
CARE OF IT

WELF
NEVER
THOUGHT
THERE'D
BE A DAY
SHE'D
WEAR
SUCH AN
AMAZING
ROBE...

WOULD
EXPECT
NOTHING
LESS
FROM
"SPOOK-
ITAL
PROTEC-
TION"



HOW
MUCH
FOR
THREE?

EVEN
SO, IT'S
HEAVY
INFUSED
WITH
FABRIC
MAGIC
HAD
TO
GOOT
SHE
AN
ARM
AND A
LEG.



AREN'T YOU
A BREATH
OF FRESH
AIR WHEN IT
COMES TO
MONEY?

WELF-SARA,
BE SURE
TO PAY HIM
BACK IN
FULL.

UH-HA...

UH...

LET'S JUST
SAY THERE
WERE FIVE
ZEBOL...







IS IT WRONG TO TRY TO PICK UP GIRLS IN A DUNGEON? END



THANK YOU FOR PURCHASING A COPY OF VOLUME 1!

AT LONG LAST, WELF HAS JOINED THE PARTY.
HE'S A COOL GUY WITH A GREAT PERSONALITY.

THIS VOLUME ENDS WHERE THE FIFTH NOVEL BEGINS.

NEW FRIENDS AND STRONG MONSTERS AT EVERY TURN,
THE STORY IS ABOUT TO HEAT UP.
AND I CAN'T WAIT TO DRAW EVERY DETAIL...!

PLEASE PICK UP THE NEXT ONE.

九二枝
KUNITADA

TRANSLATION NOTES

Common Honorifics

no honorific: Indicates familiarity or closeness; if used without permission or reason, addressing someone in this manner would constitute an insult.

-san: The Japanese equivalent of Mr./Mrs./Miss. If a situation calls for politeness, this is the failesale honorific.

-shi: Not unlike -san, the equivalent of Mr./Mrs./Miss but conveying a more official or bureaucratic mood.

-sama: Conveys great respect; may also indicate that the social status of the speaker is lower than that of the addressee.

-komi: Used most often when referring to boys, this indicates affection or familiarity. Occasionally used by older men among their peers, but it may also be used by anyone referring to a person of lower standing.

-chan: An affectionate honorific indicating familiarity used mostly in reference to girls; also used in reference to cute persons or animals of either gender.

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Pyonkichi: The name Wolf Crozzo gave to Bell's armor. It's a cute name for a pet rabbit which combines the sound of a hop, "pyon," with an ending commonly used in names, "-kichi."

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Ushiwakamaru: "The Young Bull." The name of the blade Wolf forged from the Minotaur horn, which he initially calls "Minotan," using the same Chinese character that means "Bull" as in Ushiwakamaru.

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